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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of  
Whirley *et al.*

For: **VIRTUAL PROTOTYPING AND TESTING  
FOR MEDICAL DEVICE DEVELOPMENT**

Serial No.: To be assigned

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**NEW PATENT APPLICATION**  
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Dear Sir:

1. Transmitted herewith for filing is the above-identified patent application.

2. Enclosed are:

- X   62 Pages in the specification including:  
        40   pages of Description;   21   pages of Claims;   1   page of Abstract;
- X   44 Sheets of drawings   X   informal        formal;
- X   Declaration and Power of Attorney (unexecuted);
- Assignment with Transmittal (PTO-1595);
- X   Return Receipt Postcard.

3. Filing Fee Calculation

	Claims	Extra	Rate	Basic Fee	\$710
Total Claims	111 - 20	91 x	\$18 =		\$1638
Independent Claims	8 - 3	5 x	\$80 =		\$400

TOTAL = \$2748.

4.   X   Status as Small Entity, reducing Fee by one-half to **\$1,374.00** is claimed.

**TOTAL FEES DUE \$1,374.00**

5. Payment of Fee

- X   Enclosed is a check in the amount of **\$1,019.00** to cover the fee for filing the additional claims.
- X   In addition, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the filing fee of **\$355.00** and any other required fees, and to credit any overpayment which may be required under 37 CFR §1.16 or §1.17, to Deposit Account No. 08-1641, referencing Docket No. 24641-1070. A duplicate copy of this document is enclosed.

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